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Philip H. White, D.C., Chairman
Board of Chiropractic Examiners
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CONCORD, N.H.

Dear Doctor White:

In an opinion to you dated November 17, 1958, it was stated that Edgar Lyngholm, a Danish citizen, could under the law be permitted to take the New Hampshire chiropractic examination on graduation from an approved school even though at the time of graduation he would not have become an American citizen, provided that no license would be issued to him until he became a naturalized citizen.

Upon review at an office conference a majority of the personnel of this office being of the opinion that Mr. Lyngholm should not be permitted to take the examination until he became naturalized it is necessary to reverse this opinion. Accordingly, it is the formal opinion of this office that the Board of Chiropractic Examiners has no authority to allow any applicant to even take an examination unless he complies with the statutory authority of citizenship.

Very truly yours,

Elmer T. Bourque
Assistant Attorney General

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